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Dear Mr. Anderson:

This letter is to inform you that we have recieved your Notices of Intent for the following claims:

<u>Claim</u>	<u>Utah Mining Claim Number</u>
Lower #1	211078
North Caineville Mesa Group	145711 - 145771
<u>Placer Claims</u>	214483 - 214499
Gates Gold #1 & 2	
Gravity Trap #1-4	
Wet Boot #1	
Gold Seep #1-10	

We have checked the locations of your claims against our proposed Wilderness Study Area (WSA) status maps and have found that some of your claims lie in WSAs. Because of their WSA status these lands are managed under different regulations than the CFR 3809 Regulations under which you filed. The CFR 3802 Regulations apply to lands under wilderness review. (Copy enclosed)

BLM had recommended that portions of these WSAs be dropped from inventory status and the Utah BLM State Director made a decision to drop them. Pro-Wilderness groups have protested his decision and consequently these lands have to be managed under the CFR 3802 Regulations until his decision is over-ruled or upheld by the Interior Board of Land Appeals (IBLA) or Congress. Should a decision be made to drop the lands from WSA status then they will be under the CFR 3809 Regulations. If this occurs our office will have your Notices on file and you will be covered.

Your Lower #1 Claim appears to fall in the Mt. Hillers protested WSA and is thus subject to the CFR 3802 Regulations.

Your North Caineville Mesa Group fall in the Muddy Creek protested WSA, but, because they were located prior to the legislation which initiated the Wilderness Inventory (Federal Land Policy and Management Act FLPMA) they may qualify under CFR Section 3802.1-3 as not requiring a plan of operaions or "Notice of



Intent". Please review the regulations and determine if this is so and let us know how you stand.

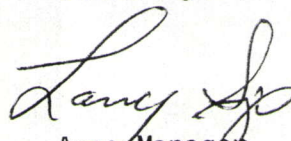
Your Wet Boot #1 Claim appears to lie in the Mount Hillers protested WSA and is thus subject to the CFR 3802 Regulations.

Your Gates Gold #1 & 2, Gravity Trap #1-4 and your Gold Seep #1-10 Claims are not within any WSA's and you may proceed with your plan of action for them as submitted to this office.

Bureau Personnel will from time to time monitor your operations to ensure consistency with the spirit and intent of the regulations under which your plan was filed.

Your cooperation is appreciated.

Sincerely,

  
Area Manager

Enclosure  
Copy of CFR 3802 Regulations